

**CONFERENCE PRESENTATION** 

NOVEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup> AND 15<sup>TH</sup>.

TITLE I-A, TITLE I-C, TITLE I-D, TITLE II-A, TITLE III, TITLE IV-A, TITLE V-B



# K-8 DISTRICT PARTNERSHIPS WITH INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Gadsden Elementary School District #32
Southwest Yuma County

## POSITIVE GAINS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION AND FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

#### Universities and Colleges:

- Creating new access to innovative learning opportunities for college professors and their students
- Early (very early) outreach for colleges and universities
- Increased student enrollment for colleges
  - Concurrent Enrollment
  - Dual Enrollment

### SERVICE AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE PARTNERSHIP WITH GADSDEN DISTRICT STEM/ART PROGRAMS

#### Arizona Western College

STEM

Math classes

Shared faculty

**ACT** advanced Math courses

Academies and Institutes

#### Art classes

Visual Arts Academy

Art Curiosity and Secrets Student Organization

**Cross-Age Tutoring and Instruction** 

#### **UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIPS:**

University of Arizona

Math – Science Engineering Academy/Summer Institute

**Student Workshops** 

**Professional Development** 

John Hopkins Center for Talented Youth program

ACT Testing and Placement

#### FINAL DESIRED OUTCOME

- Maximize Engaged Student Learning
- Improved learning environments
- Access to expanded learning opportunities
- Parent Engagement in Student Learning
- Professional Development for K-8 instructors
- Innovations in Teaching

Improved student academic achievement

#### ART ACADEMY VIDEO ED PASTOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Play Video

Group Discussion

#### PROGRAM FUNDING SOURCES

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    Title I

        Program Administration and Support
        After School Academies
        Supplies
 Title II
        Retention/Recruitment Stipends
 Title IV
        Summer Institutes
 Rural Low Income Schools
        Year-Long Academies
        Summer Institutes
        Professional Development
 Migrant Education
        Summer CTY university experience
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#### EXTERNAL FUNDING SUPPORT

University of Arizona

Arizona Western College

Arizona Commission of the Arts

## MATH, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE INSTITUTE SAN LUIS AWC TECHNOLOGY CENTER

- 3 weeks Institute
- July 9<sup>th</sup> thru July 27 2018 Monday thru Friday, 9am-1:00 pm
- Three weeks of hands on learning experiences

During the second week students attended a University
 Laboratory experience at the University of Arizona Engineering
 facilities on the Arizona Western College Campus.

## MATH, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE INSTITUTE

The experience, practical exposure to University education from a University professor

Third week, wrap the institute experience in student developed presentations of their lab experiments and their newly acquired knowledge

## MATH, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE INSTITUTE

12 instructors to teach 120 students (nominated by principals with teacher recommendation)

Professional Development Instructors' Training, 2 weeks-50 hrs. in June